2009 Ohio FIRST LEGO® League Ambassador Application

(To be submitted to your team's tournament coordinator one week prior to your tournament. Essay responses, in total, must be no longer than 500 words in length).

Tournament Name:		
Team FLL Number:		
Team Name:		
Coach Name:		

We understand that if we are chosen as an Ohio Regional FLL Ambassador or as the Ohio FLL Ambassador, we will be asked by our regional tournament partner, other regional tournament partners in our region or the Ohio state partner to promote the FIRST LEGO® League program in our region and in our state for a term of one year. We may be asked to attend school meetings; FLL kick off events; science fairs; conventions; and FIRST tournaments to promote FLL. We may also be asked to help with team mentoring. We agree to accept these and other responsibilities as appropriate for an Ohio Regional FLL Ambassador team. Up to two coaches and up to 10 team members must sign the agreement in order for the application to be complete.

	PRINTED NAME	SIGNATURE
COACH		
COACH		
TEAM MEMBER		

Explain how your team demonstrates each of the following FLL Core Values. Please use clear, concrete examples in your discussions.

1. FLL Core Value: "We are a team." Discuss your teamwork. Items to consider in your discussion: leadership roles; division of tasks; conflict resolution; problem-solving; etc.		
2. FLL Core Value: "We do the work to find the solutions with guidance from our coaches and mentors." Explain the role of the coaches and mentors on your team. Items to consider in your discussion: How has your coach or mentor influenced the team? Is your coach a good teacher? How do the kids make decisions? How does the team demonstrate its independence?		
3. FLL Core Values: "We honor the spirit of friendly competition." & "We have fun." Explain how your team is able to balance the competitive need to win with the ability to have fun and to embrace other teams in a spirit of friendship, whether your team wins an award or not.		

4. FLL Core Value: "We share our experiences with others." Give examples of your outreach. You may draw your examples from your research project and/or
from outreach you have done on behalf of the FIRST LEGO® League program.
5. FLL Core Value: "We display gracious professionalism in everything we do." Explain what gracious professionalism means to your team and give examples of how your team displays gracious professionalism to each other and to others.